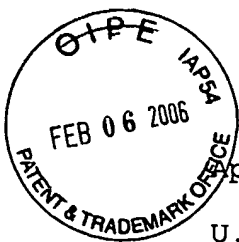


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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE OCTOBER 31, 2005 OFFICE ACTION

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the October 31, 2005 Office Action, issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) in connection with the above-identified application. A response to this Office Action is due on January 31, 2006. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Claim Amendment Fee Calculation

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